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Ott's Golden Wedding

NEVADA CITY: With only one exception, the entire wedding party who were present at the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Emil J. N. Ott October 5, 1897, met again to celebrate the golden wedding of the couple at their home in Nevada City last Sunday.

Those present from the original party were Mr. Albert Orrick, best man; Miss Anna Furth, maid of honor; Mrs. C. Mahoney and Miss Ada Furth, flower girls; and Mrs. C. B. Grenfell, ring bearer.

Chrysanthemums and golden marigolds together with white decorations of golden roses and candles provided a lovely setting and carried out the theme of the Golden Wedding.

Mrs. Ott was attired in a gown of dusty rose and wore a corsage of gardenias and bouvardias.

Out-of-town guests were their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Emil J. N. Ott, Jr., of Sacramento and their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoge of San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. William Pearson, Redwood City; Mrs. Scott Burlingame; Mrs. Eda Ott Hicks, Mrs. Carl Hicks and Mrs. Guerrin, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schucking and daughter, San Jose; Misses Anna and Ada Furth, Oakland; Mrs. Viola Lombard, Oakland; Mrs. Gladys Fairchild and son, Daniel, Oakland; and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Quick of Hamilton City.

WILLIAM FRENCH NABS FIREMEN

NEVADA CITY: Patrick C. Cline, one of the fire fighters that battled the forest fire at Bloody Run, near Moore's Flat, pleaded guilty yesterday to stealing U. S. Forest Service blankets. Justice of the Peace George Gildersleeve sentenced him to 30 days in jail.

J. C. Somefet, a Sacramento Negro, also hired to fight the same fire, pleaded not guilty to a charge of refusing to fight fire. His case is to be set. Both were arrested by Tahoe National Forest Law Enforcement Officer William French.

FIRE SEARS SUGAR LOAF

NEVADA CITY: Sugar Loaf Mountain, on the outskirts of Nevada City, was yesterday again the scene of a destructive 30-acre brush and forest fire. The flames were under control and, except for smoldering remnants, extinguished at 5 p. m. last night.

The sudden and violent fire, which started about 2 p. m., had by five p. m. ravaged the whole western slope of the mountain. The origin, for which the cause was undetermined, was on the Victor Gates property just outside the city limits, and off the road to Lake Vera.

The fire, whipped along at first by a brisk breeze, swept up the slope, and was not finally quelled until it reached the row of country residences on the north side of the mountain. These had previously been imperiled when Sugar Loaf was enveloped in flame in the big fire of Saturday, July 26, when 1600 acres on the hill and Harmony Ridge burned.

The fire burned down to the road in several places between the city limits and the junction near the reservoir. A new home about 200 yards from the reservoir was saved when firemen deluged it with water as the roaring fire passed by. Control in the earlier stages of the blaze was handicapped by lack of water.

Personnel of the State Department of Forestry, principal agent in battling the fire, included all available crews in the county and two outside crews. Also in action were the department's four pumper trucks and its bulldozer.

The Nevada City Fire Department and volunteer fire fighters worked steadily to curtail the scope of destruction.

At the height of the fire, a huge column of smoke towered over the hill, and the rush and crackle of the flames was startling. Huge pine trees burst suddenly into fire, like gasoline torches ignited.

Firefighters were aided during most of the struggle by calm wind conditions. The breeze which originally sped the flames soon died down.

LADIES' NIGHT AND BUCK STEW PLANNED BY ROTARY CLUB

NEVADA CITY: The Rotary Club will have a Ladies' Night at the Episcopal Parish hall on Nevada street this Wednesday at 8 p. m. Feature of the evening is to be a buck stew dinner prepared by Herbert S. Foreman.

Foreman will make an announcement regarding the Boy Scout annual appeal for funds, which is getting underway.

In addition to Rotarians and their ladies, members of the Soroptimist Club have been invited. Fred C. Garrison is program chairman for the Rotary Club, and has planned entertainment for the evening.

FRED ANDERSON BUYS RED CROSS MINE AT OMEGA

NEVADA CITY: Fred Anderson, owner of the Ancho-Erie gold mine, has announced that he purchased the Best and Belcher mining properties, including the Red Cross mine near Omega.

Anderson's men are at present engaged in stripping the surface at the Red Cross, a property that has not been worked since 1915.

He expects to begin processing 100 tons a day in the immediate future. Anderson purchased the property from the Martin Estate.

COURT HONORS WARD SHELDON

NEVADA CITY: The superior court and attorneys Friday honored late district attorney, H. Ward Sheldon. Superior Judge James Snell praised the late attorney.

The court called on W. E. Wright, former district attorney and associate of Sheldon, to be chairman. Wright told of leaving all his affairs, including personal matters, with Sheldon when he and Mrs. Wright went on a world tour shortly before the war. He related the many hours of hard work Sheldon expended in the county business.

Other speakers to praise the character and record of the late district attorney were his deputy, William J. Cassettari, Lynne Kelly and Crofford Reynolds. When the court adjourned it rose in his honor.

Odd Contests In New Gold Trail Show

GRASS VALLEY: The Gold Trail Riders' last and biggest horse show for the season will be staged on Sunday afternoon, October 12, at Dick Lostutter's "Happy Daze" ranch, 8 miles west of Grass Valley on the Marysville highway.

An afternoon of entertainment for riders and spectators is promised, with many new and highly entertaining events such as "Balloon" contest and an "Egg Frying Race" to spice up the program.

Besides ribbons to be awarded for first, second and third prizes there will be a trophy for the Stock Horse Class donated by Berggren's Jewelry of Nevada City. Another trophy for the best colt in hand under two years of age, will be provided by Owen O'Leary, past president of the club.

The show will be free with no entrance fees and no gate admissions.

Although this will be the last horse show of the year it won't wind up the activities of the Gold Trail Riders. Many social events and trail rides will be held throughout the winter months.

AUBURN MAN TAKES OVER BRET HARTE

GRASS VALLEY: Richard Edwards of Auburn, Placer county, has taken over the Bret Harte Inn from the owner, Harry Handlery, on a long term lease.

Edwards was formerly manager of the Auburn Hotel. He is president of the Auburn Rotary Club. Pending his arrival here with his family, Frank E. Bond, who has managed the inn for Handlery during the past year, will continue his present duties.

LLOYD GEIST ADDRESSES P. T. A. ON SCHOOL AIMS AND PROBLEMS

NEVADA CITY: The first regular monthly meeting of the Elementary School P.T.A. for the fall term was held October 3, 1947, in the Auditorium with 75 members in attendance.

After the flag salute lead by Mrs. Dean, Mrs. George Beecraft, program chairman introduced Franc Luschen, orchestra director for the school. Luschen introduced the members of his beginner's orchestra and their rendition of waltz by Coughy was greatly appreciated. A violin solo, "Souvenir by Drdla," played by Bruce Walker, was capably rendered.

The room representatives for the coming term were introduced by Mrs. Ted Sigourney and the teachers were introduced by Mr. Lloyd Geist, school principal.

Reports from various chairmen were given, with Mrs. Gordon Vance announcing the fall membership drive, which will get under way in October, Mrs. Hal Draper asking for clothes for her welfare work, Mrs. Miles Coughlin reporting on the progress of the annual Halloween Carnival to be held October 31st, and Mrs. Valencia Orzalli giving a report on the third district meeting in Placerville. A cupboard to hold clothes for the welfare chairman was generously donated by Mrs. Anthony.

Mrs. George Beecraft then introduced Lloyd Geist, school principal, as speaker for the day. His topic, "Aims and Problems of the Elementary School" was well received. The average person has no idea of the amount of children going to school and the lack of rooms and facilities for taking care of these children. This problem also brings up the discipline angle as it is almost impossible for one teacher to keep track of over forty pupils at one time. It is hoped that when the new kindergarten is finished that there will be relief for teachers as well as pupils. Mr. Geist also asked that parents send an excuse for illness that states exactly what symptoms or illness the child had who was absent from school. This will help the school in its reports to the state department.

Tea was served by members of the executive committee, with Mrs. Adele Stutevant and Mrs. Ted Sigourney pouring. Two large sheet cakes were arranged on the lace covered tables with beautiful fall flowers and fruit for a centerpiece.

STENNETT TO HEAD SCOUT DRIVE IN G. V.

AUBURN: Announcement of community chairmen to head up the Annual Appeal for Funds of the Tahoe Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, was made today by G. E. Kreatz, general chairman.

He stated that John Raffetto would be chairman of the Auburn area, J. B. Stennett of the Grass Valley district, Ted Sinnock of Colfax-Weimar section, Albert Law of Loomis and vicinity, William Menchinella for Lincoln and Lou Poulsen of Roseville, and others for the remaining areas of the council will be appointed shortly.

The raising of the $16,000 budget is necessary for this year in order to continue to expand Scouting to all boys who want it, Kreatz pointed out. This amount provides for bringing the Scout program to more than 1600 boys during the next year at an administrative cost of less than $10.00 per year.

Kreatz indicated that the Tahoe Area Council had made excellent progress during the past year. He stated that according to Scout Executive Raymond J. Ewan, more Scouts attended Camp Pahatsi than ever before and that the 1,425 boys who were members of Cub Scout Packs and Boy Scout Troops during the year represented the largest number of boys ever served in this area.

The appeal will be conducted from October 10 to November 10.

Annual Rally

The annual rally of the Tahoe Area Council will be held in the latter part of November, it was announced today by Raymond J. Ewan, Scout executive.

Council President Judge Lowell L. Sparks has appointed Maury Witting of Grass Valley as chairman of the event. Witting has announced that the first item to be given consideration in the rally this year will be window displays by Scout troops during the period that the annual appeal for funds is being carried on, starting October 10.

BPWC IN RADIO PROGRAM TONIGHT

GRASS VALLEY: Continuing with the theme of National Business Women's Week, October 5-11, "We Face Tomorrow," the Grass Valley Business and Professional Women's Club will present a special 15-minute broadcast over local radio station KGFN on Tuesday, October 7, at 7:30 p. m. The broadcast will be entitled "Women's Stake in the Peace," with Gertrude Esterly, radio chairman; Marie Williford, state director at large; and Effie Myers, president of the local club, participating in the broadcast.

This broadcast will be of interest to listeners concerned with the development and furtherance of a permanent peace-time program based on tolerance and understanding.

HANS RONNIGEN COMES IN FIRST!

NEVADA CITY: The Recreation Commission's bicycle races Sunday in Pioneers Park were a great success. Donald Wheelock, in charge of arrangements, reports that Hans Ronnigen won first prize of $3.50 in the race for boys of 6-13.

Benjamin Nelson won second prize of $1.50. In the 13-18 group, Dick Noren whizzed in first and Noel Weldon crossed the finish line second. Prize money was the same as the first race.

Edwin Hewston was the judge.

The commission plans a Soap Box Derby with Broad Street as the race track on Sunday, October 26. It is reported that Hewston and Wheelock will run off a preliminary in hastily constructed dreamboats.

TOM LEGG WED TO EVELYN EDWARDS

NEVADA CITY: Evelyn Edwards of Grass Valley and Tom Legg of this city exchanged vows before the candle lighted altar of the Methodist Church in Reno, Nevada, on September 26th. Only immediate relatives and a few friends were present.

The bride was attended by Miss Fidela Legg, sister, and the best man was Bradley Legg, brother of the bridegroom. A reception was held in the church parlors where the wedding cake was cut. The party then left for Nyack Lodge where the bridal dinner was served.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. George Legg, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Legg, Miss Fidela Legg and Mrs. Harold Deeter, all of Nevada City. Mrs. Holmes, mother of the bride, and Mrs. McNeil, an aunt of the bride, both of Pasadena; Mr. and Mrs. Christensen of Reno and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Pasco of Grass Valley.

On returning from their honeymoon, the couple will live in Glenwood Park.

B.P.W.C. Sunday Breakfast

GRASS VALLEY: In observance of the 20th National Business Women's week, the Grass Valley Business and Professional Women's Club attended a "kick-off" breakfast Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock and following that attended the Methodist Church service.

The slogan of the week is We Face Tomorrow. The local club has maintained a keen interest in foreign and domestic policies of the United States government.

METHODISTS SPONSOR COURSE FOR TEACHERS

GRASS VALLEY: The Methodist churches of Grass Valley, Nevada City and Auburn, Placer county, have sponsored a teachers' training course to begin October 8th and continue through November 12th. All of the sessions will be held in the Grass Valley Methodist church.

Miss Elsie Stockton, supervising teacher of religious education in Yuba will instruct the teachers of the primary classes, Rev. and Mrs. Russell Lincoln of Nevada City's Methodist church, will instruct the juniors, teachers and Mrs. W. J. Bursil, aided by Mrs. Donald A. Getty, wife of the Methodist pastor of Grass Valley, will have charge of teachers of the intermediates.

MEET MR. LEFEBVRE, NEW MANAGER OF THE NATIONAL HOTEL

NEVADA CITY: In an interview Saturday, Floyd LeFebvre, new manager of the National Hotel since it has been purchased by Vance Huckins, owner of the Clunie Hotel in Sacramento, reported that he was very happy to be in Nevada City.

LeFebvre had lived in Sacramento for 25 years before coming here. Having been born in Newcastle, he is familiar with this area. He worked at McClelland Field for the Army Air Corps during the war.

He was previously assistant manager of the Clunie Hotel.

FUNERAL PENDING FOR MRS. PAULINE SONNTAG

GRASS VALLEY: Funeral arrangements are pending in Myers Mortuary Chapel for Mrs. Pauline Sonntag, who died at her home in Chicago Park Friday at 4 a. m.

The deceased was the widow of Herman Sonntag, who died in 1932. She was a native of Saxony where she was born 86 years ago. She and her late husband were married in Germany in 1883 and came to this country in 1890. They established their home in Nebraska.

In 1898 the couple came to Nevada county and purchased acreage in Peardale known as the De Golia ranch. Twelve children were born to them, of whom eight survive. There are two sons, Karl of Washington, and Herman of Valdez, Alaska, and six daughters, Mrs. Ida Hatton of Peardale, Mrs. Anna Osterman of Washington, Mrs. Gertrude Blum of Chicago Park, Nevada county; Mrs. Madalene Wise of Sacramento; Mrs. Margaret Ullrich of Chicago Park, and Mrs. Elso Bierly of Sacramento. Seventeen grandchildren and four great grandchildren also are bereaved.

APPLE FESTIVAL

GRASS VALLEY: The Farmers Market in Glenbrook will hold a three-day apple festival beginning October 9th. The Peardale Farm Center and Home Department will sell apple pie and coffee during the festival.

There will be a wide variety of other fruits and vegetables offered.

Many Bequests In Mrs. Bertha Smith's Will; Filed Yesterday

NEVADA CITY: The will of Mrs. Bertha Smith, who died October 1st, was filed yesterday by Horace A. Curnow, named as executor. The estate, valued at more than $10,000, is distributed among nephews, nieces, and friends, with the residue bequeathed to Rev. Patrick O'Reilly of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Grass Valley.

By the terms of the will, Dr. F. W. Gehrig, William Gehrig, and Louis Gehrig, all nephews of the deceased, are left $200 each. Anna True of San Francisco will receive $500 and Ida Clark, John Webster, Mrs. Charles Eden and Edward Baker, all of Nevada City were left $500 each.

TRIO PAY $250 EACH FOR SPOTLIGHTING

GRASS VALLEY: Linton A. Brown, 35, Walter S. Gardner, 39, both of Yuba City, and Lloyd Henry Cottman, 37, of Marysville, pleaded guilty Friday to spot lighting for deer along the Marysville highway before Justice of the Peace Cahrise A. Morehouse.

The trio were arrested by sheriff's deputies and Game Warden Earl Hiscox, while flashing their high-powered light into woodlands along the road. The three were deprived of their rifle, hunting license, and deer tags, and fined $250 each.

BIG HOLE

NEVADA CITY: Herbert S. Hallet, Superintendent of Streets, reports that the big hole in the ground at Commercial and Pine is caused by the loosening of the gravel base of the road. Huge trucks rolling over the intersection have made the base so unstable that water from the broken sewer main washes away the gravel down into Deer Creek.

Funeral in Auburn for Mrs. Lillie E. Gassaway

GRASS VALLEY: Mrs. Lillie E. Gassaway, widow of the late Edward O. Gassaway, who died Saturday morning in a local hospital, will be buried in the Auburn cemetery following services in the West Hite Mortuary of Auburn.

Mrs. Gassaway was the daughter of Louis and Marie Fattebert, who settled in the Magnolia district of western Nevada county at an early date. A portion of the original ranch continued under the ownership of Mrs. Gassaway. She was born on the ranch 75 years ago.

Surviving are one son, Clarence E. Gassaway, and one granddaughter, Miss Evelyn Gassaway.

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JUST WONDERIN'

I Wonder if the weather man
Will give us warm autumnal days,
In order that we may pursue
Our eatless and our heatless ways;
I Wonder if we shall be told
When we've no money to buy bread,
To walk down to the corner store
And buy a cake instead.

I Wonder why our leaders pass so many of the nation's problems along to the general public. We look to Congress and the President to do something about the rising cost of living, but Congress takes a prolonged vacation and the President suggests eatless and heatless days which he hopes the dear people will voluntarily observe. Seems to me that, the soaring prices are forcing the American people to practice frugality—that is, those of us whose ways of life do not lead us to seats among the mighty.

The conservation of food should be no idle gesture, neither should it be a passing fancy; it should become a national habit and it will become just that if food stuffs soar out of bounds and our budgets find it impossible to follow their airy flights. It is to be hoped that, when Congress comes back to its manifold duties after its long refreshing vacation, that the astute gentlemen will devise some methods of dealing with problem situations and not depend so abjectedly upon the voluntary actions of the dear people.

A prominent member of a certain conservation group, asserts that, "in twenty years America will have no lumber." That prophesy was uttered by our ancestors several scores of years ago and still, we have lumber. With improved ideals of conservation and the scientific reforestration, it might be safe to predict, that there will always be logging camps, lumber mills and retail lumber stores, and that future generations far more than twenty years hence, will be using forest products and of course croaking lugubriously, "in twenty years there will be no lumber."

Our only living ex-president seems to think that America provoked Japan's attack upon Pearl Harbor and the war which followed that dastardly act. I am almost inclined to agree with him. We allowed Japanese fishermen to explore and map our western harbors, we taught them many of our war games, we demonstrated as they watched, the feasibility of bombing Pearl Harbor and we furnished them with numerous shiploads of scrap iron and other war materials. No wonder they became enraged and bit the hand that soothed them. However, Mr. Hoover may have something else in mind.

Cousin Jed says: "Uncle Silas has returned from his long vacation spent out in the open. He has fish stories to tell; one about a stickle-back which he caught and another about a tom-cod which got away." —Adeline Merriam Conner.

NOTICE OF W. E. WRIGHT

This is to notify the public and all parties interested that the undersigned will continue his general practice of the law and also continue the business and office of the late H. Ward Sheldon, and represent his estate.

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Eagle Scout Tells of Visit To World Scout Jamboree

GRASS VALLEY: The first fall Court of Honor was held last evening at the Scout Lodge in Grass Valley. Troop 4 will be hosts.

After the ceremony of awards for summer achievements, the Scouts presented three skits, one of which was dedicated to Court of Honor Chairman Lynne Kelly and District Commissioner James Beam. Eagle Scout Robert Cran told of some of his experiences as delegate to the World Scout Jamboree in France a few weeks ago.

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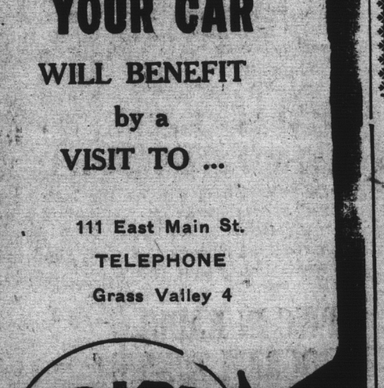

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The county's $1.69 rate for gen county purposes is 13 cents hig than the $1.56 rate per $100 of val tion of taxable property in the co for last year. Prewar rate for 19 42 was $1.50. War and postwar rate was $1.34 in 1946.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

FARRELL-BECKERLEG—In Ne da City, Nevada county, Octobe 1947, Charles Gordon Farrell, and June Beckerleg, 18, both Grass Valley.

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KILROY-SCHOLFIELD—In Nevada City, Nevada County, September 27, 1947, William Washington Kilroy, 25, and Beverly Jean Scholfield, 18, both of Nevada City.

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I, CECIL HOLMES, do hereby certify that I am conducting the business of selling and installing glass, and allied enterprises, under the fictitious name and style of the Sierra Glass Company; that my principal place of business is 212 Main Street in the City of Nevada, County of Nevada, State of California; and that my residence is 433 Sacramento Street in said City of Nevada, County and State aforesaid.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 11th day of September, 1947.

Cecil Holmes.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF NEVADA, ss.

On this 11th day of September, 1947, before me, Frank G. Finnegan, a Notary Public in and for the County of Nevada, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared CECIL HOLMES, known to me to be the person described in, and whose name is subscribed to the within and foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at my office in said County of Nevada the day and year in this certificate first above written.

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Katherine Gallino Wounded By Richocheting Bullet

GRASS VALLEY: Katherine Gallino is a patient at the Jones Memorial Hospital recuperating from bullet fragments which pierced her arm and lower portions of her body in a freakish gun accident. Her condition was reported as good.

The accident occurred when Miss Gallino, secretary-clerk of the Golden Rule Store, was proceeding homeward on East Main Street.

William Pugh, local auto mechanic, was sitting in a car in front of the Bonds Home Appliance store removing the shells from a borrowed .303 Savage rifle when one shell apparently became lodged in the barrel and accidentally discharged.

The heavy copper-jacketed bullet ripped through the floor of the car, glanced from the steel frame to the cement sidewalk and richocheted, breaking into fragments. The main portion ripped through Bond's display window, leaving an orange-size hole, while the metal spray of small pieces struck Miss Gallino about the legs, abdomen, and arm.

PAVEMENT FALLING IN

NEVADA CITY: Pavement at the corner of Commercial and Pine streets was discovered recently to be slowly giving away. Cracks appeared and there seemed to be a slight settling.

According to H. S. Hallett, superintendent of streets, his crew discovered an old time mining tunnel. They were engaged yesterday in filling in the tunnel to prevent further caving.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

DEAN-JOHNSON—In Nevada City, Nevada County, September 26, 1947, Harold Lambert Dean, 28, and Marilyn Esther Johnson, 25, both of Truckee.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE OF PROPERTY DEEDED TO THE STATE FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

Date: September 22nd, 1947.

Whereas, I was on the 10th day of September, 1947, directed by the Board of Supervisors of Nevada County, State of California, and there was received by me and filed in my office an authorization of the State Controller dated September 15th, 1947, to sell at public auction, for cash in lawful money of the United States, certain tax deeded property, public notice is hereby given that unless the said property is redeemed as provided by law, I will on the 16th day of October, 1947, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. in the Tax Collector's office in the Court House of the County of Nevada, in the City of Nevada, sell as directed the said property for a sum not less than the minimum price or prices set forth in this notice.

The parcel or parcels of property that are the subject of this notice are stiuated in the County of Nevada, State of California, and are described as follows:

Parcel No. 1

Lot 16, Sec. 10, Twp. 14 N. R. 8 E. 10 acres.

Assessed to H. Cleason, for the year 1899.

Minimum price $75.00.

If redemption of the property or the initiation of an installment plan of redemption is not made according to law prior to the sale thereof, the right of redemption will cease.

ELMA HECKER,
Tax Collector of Nevada County, State of California.

Date of first publication: September 23rd, 1947.

Date of second publication: September 30th, 1947.

Date of third publication: October 7th, 1947.

Sept. 23, 30; Oct. 7

LOOKING AHEAD

BY GEORGE S. BENSON
President—Harding College
Searcy, Arkansas

Planner's Dream

"With more miners at work and more machinery, Britain is producing 15,000,000 tons less coal per year than in 1941." This statement by Mr. Churchill aptly describes the results of nationalization. It is striking that whereas England used to export large quantities of coal, she is now importing as much as 600,000 tons from the United States in the present quarter. This is the picture 18 months after nationalization of Britain's coal industry was begun.

Last summer in England I had a conference with Mr. Michael Young, head of the research department of the Labor Party, and their chief economist. Thirty or so years of age, tall and slender, Mr. Young expressed great confidence in England's program of nationalization of industry. He hoped the program would proceed rapidly to include all industries, and he was confident it would bring full employment, high productivity, and greater prosperity. Mr. Young's hopes remain in the dream stage.

What Results?

High British officials came to Washington last month. They wanted to discuss new terms on the American loan. A London report of their interview with Secretary of the Treasury John Snyder tells of Mr. Snyder asking the British officials "Why nationalization had not produced more coal and if it has hampered output." Mr. Snyder was also firm in inquiring whether Britain, under the scheme of nationalization, was "still going to be a solvent concern."

With England sitting on vast coal reserves, yet importing coal, one can understand that Secretary Snyder is a bit dubious about the results of nationalization. In coal mining under nationalization there was at first an upward surge of output. But soon the gain wore off, and turned into a dramatic loss. This experiment in government management of ment in government management of industry simply did not come through. Other industries are learning in the same manner.

The Labor government, which has urged more construction of houses, now finds it necessary to reduce its quota of new houses by 80,000. The use of petrol is to be cut down by one-third; foreign travel is to be reduced by one-half. An individual can now buy only 20 cents worth of beef a week. The fact that the food situation is extremely critical plus the failure of nationalized industries to get production led to the passing of Britain's Crisis Bill.

Dictator Law

The British Press described the Bill as giving the government power to:

1. Direct labor within an industry or from one industry to another.
2. Replace inefficient managements in any industry by government nominees, which will mean, in effect, taking over the business.
3. Divert investments into certain channels, and prevent them going into others.
4. Control hours and conditions of work, and even rates of pay.
5. Send supplies and raw materials to certain industries, and keep them from others.
6. Order goods to be exported to given markets, and prevent them going to others less profitable to the nation.

MILITARY SERVICE

Honorably discharged veterans of the U. S. are entitled to full military honors at their funerals. We have on file complete information on this matter and will be pleased to advise anyone on the necessary steps to be taken for such a service. Write or telephone for an appointment.

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Football Focus

By JOHN McALLISTER LEWIS

Starting off the collegiate season with a bang! your writer wishes to extend his apologies for intimating that Iowa might very possibly beat U.C.L.A., which also brings me back to former comments that Iowa might give Notre Dame something to worry about later on in the season. At any rate we do feel certain now that U.S.C., U.C.L.A. and Cal up north will be tough for anyone to defeat.

Waldorf's charges repulsed the Navy ground attack timely and when Admiral Hamilton had his boys take to the air they did better but not good enough. It's encouraging to note that the Berkeley boys are live wire opportunists this year. Celari and Jensen in particular back up that statement.

Santa Clara bogged down before the relentless land and air attack of the drawling Texas boys from S.M.O. Southern Methodist was too strong in all departments and the Broncos were ready for their shower when the final whistle blew. Previously the Broncos suffered a defeat at the hands of Cal—neither defeat brought shame to the smaller school as the Santa Clara boys showed spark and conceded nothing.

Michigan rolled over Michigan State like a large tank and as we have said right along, beware of Crisler's gang, they're really potent. Illinois dropped Pittsburgh as was expected. Army ran up a couple of T.D.'s to repulse Villanova. Minnesota had a one-point advantage over Washington at the end of a close game. Arizona gave Wyoming's cowboys the works. Georgia Tech ran all over Tennessee. Texas tramped on Oregon while the highly touted Oregon State gang bowed to Utah in a terrific upset. However, while on the topic of upsets, let's drop in on Marchie Schwartz at Palo Alto. The Stanford Indians were scalped by a surprising Idaho eleven, last year the Indians won 45-0. Ohio State won a close one from Missouri.

Many other important games were played and now football is underway in high school, junior college, college and pro cricles. Speaking of the highly paid bonecrushers, the National League is again underway.

Forecasts for this week include our selections of Army over Colorado, California over St. Mary's, Santa Clara over Fresno State, Idaho over Washington State, Illinois over Iowa, Ohio State over Purdue, U.C.L.A. over Northwestern, Michigan over Stanford, Texas over North Carolina, Yale over Cornell, Oregon State over Washington. Other important games, a little more obvious as to outcome, will be played and upsets may and will be staged.

Jensen of California did some beautiful punting against Navy and if it had not been for one blocked punt he would have averaged close to 50 yards per try. The yardage gained by both clubs was close and although Navy held the edge in first downs, Cal maintained a margin in the score throughout.

In pro circles the '49ers came from behind to topple the slightly favored Buffalo team. San Francisco was well pleased and Albert and company really looked good.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENDED SALE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 11th day of October, 1947, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. of said day, the undersigned, OLIVER W. PANTER, Vendor, residing in Nevada City, California, intends to sell, transfer, assign and deliver, and will sell, transfer, assign and deliver to TED CONDIT, Vendee, residing in Nevada City, California, that certain electrical supply business, stock and equipment known as Panter Electric, situate at 237 Commercial Street, Nevada City, California.

The following is a general statement of the character of the merchandise or property intended to be sold: Stock in trade, furniture, fixtures and good will of the above-described electrical supply business.

The said sale will be closed and consummated and the agreed purchase price and consideration for said sale will be paid on the above date and hour at the office of Frank G. Finnegan, 207 North Pine Street, Nevada City, California.

Dated: October 3, 1947.

Oct. 7

Many of the uranium minerals are brightly colored, either yellow or green, and even black.

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THE - Diary of a 49'er

FROM THE BOOK EDITED BY C. L. CANFIELD

AUGUST 10, 1851—Pard is spending his days down on the river, and as it is only about four miles he rides over and back, morning and evening. I have not paid much attention to it as it seems to me it is going to be a hard job, but Pard has figured it all out from ideas of his own and hints that he has picked up from the fellows who did the same sort of work last fall up on the North Fork. He broke out laughing at supper last night, and when I asked him what made him so good natured he said: "What do you think they call the bar below our claims on the river—'The Lousy Level.'" There are some pretty rough names to the gulches and flats around here, but that is the worst of all of them. The bar is really a flat and about a dozen men are working on it, all doing well. The river is very low now, and Pard thinks we will be able to get into it in a couple of weeks. He will take down five men tomorrow and begin to lay out the work. We pay these men ten dollars a day. We will not have to build any cabins, brush shanties will do, as we have to quit at the first storm. I ordered a bill of grub at Caldwell's yesterday, about two hundred and fifty dollars' worth, which will be packed down this week, beside sledge hammers, nails, saw and some other tools. There will only be four of the company to lend a hand, as the rest are doing too well on their creek claims to leave them for the river, so we will hire eight men to help us, if we can get them. It's lonesome working alone, although I have Jack for company, as Pard won't let the dog go to the river—it's too long a tramp. Jack had a narrow escape Friday. I heard him barking furiously up the gulch above the ditch and went to see what the trouble was. It was lucky I did, for I heard a spitting and snarling up in an old oak tree and there on a limb was a big mountain lion, lashing his tail and getting ready for a spring. I think he heard me coming, or it would have been good-bye Jack! I banged away at the beast with my six shooter and think I hit him. He jumped from the tree, made for the brush and that was the last of him. Pard saw a she grizzly and two cubs on the river trail last week, but he had not lost any bears and gave her the go-by. Mountain lions are plenty, although this is the first one I have seen. Think I can clean up the rest of the claim this week, and then we have decided to nail up the cabin and go down on the river and stay there until the rains.

AUGUST 17, 1851—Finished up the old flat and abandoned the claim. Brought the "Tom" and sluice boxes to the cabin. We may want to use them later. I figure out that with the five thousand, five hundred dollars I have sent home, the twenty-five hundred dollars invested at the Bay and the dust I have on hand I am worth over eleven thousand dollars, not counting any increase in the Frisco lots. That is doing pretty well for eighteen months' work; still, there is nothing extraordinary about it, as many have made ten times as much. On the other hand, a lot of the boys are just where they started, but in the majority of cases it is by reason of their improvidence rather than hard luck. It is easy come and easy go, and it makes spendthrifts out of the careless, happy-go-lucky fellows.

As Pard don't need me I am going to lay off for a week and loaf. We want another horse, and I will try and pick up a broncho somewhere. Got a long letter from home yesterday, which I answered last night. Mother's health is better and the old folks are taking it easy. I guess it is all up between Hetty and me. Dad says she does not visit them any more and she is telling everybody that she has given me the mitten. All right, I won't contradict her, and if Marie should come back this fall there won't be any strings on me. If, by any chance, I should marry a Frenchwoman, what a buzz there will be in old Norfolk. A couple of the Saleratus Ranch boys were over to see me this afternoon. They are curious about our river scheme, but have not much faith in it. I hear there are two other companies who are going into the same sort of mining on the river above Rose's Bar. The weather has been blistering hot for the past ten days and the air is full of smoke from mountain fires. The dry needles burn like tinder. An old dead sugar pine over on the mountain caught fire last night, and it was a great sight to see it burn. The flames shot up in the air at least four hundred feet and although it was two miles away I could heard the crackling and roaring plainly. This is a great timber country. There are several kinds of pines, but what they call the sugar pine is the finest of the lot. Some of them are twelve feet in diameter and two hundred and fifty feet high. It seems a pity that there should not be some use for it. There is a sawmill at Grass Valley, which is kept busy turning out lumber for houses for the towns roundabout, and what little the miners need for boxes, and another one up on Deer Creek, just started, but it doesn't look as if there was demand enough to keep two of them going. Twenty sawmills could not use up the supply in a thousand years.

The Nevada City-Grass Valley NUGGET Advertising Service Brings Results—Twice Weekly!

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Taxes for the City of Nevada for the year 1947 are now due and payable. If not paid before 5 p. m. on Monday, October 13, 1947, a penalty of 10 per cent will be added. Office hours from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.

SAM HOOPER,
Ex-officio Tax Collector.

LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the Matter of the Estate of Daniel S. Baker, Deceased.
No. 4764

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, Jane Baker, as Administratrix of the Estate of Daniel S. Baker, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administratrix at law offices of Frank G. Finnegan, Attorney-at-Law, 207 North Pine Street, Nevada City, California, the same being her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said Daniel S. Baker, deceased.

Dated September 13, 1947.
JANE BAKER,
Administratrix of the Estate of Daniel S. Baker, Deceased.
First publication September 16, 1947.
Sept. 16, 23, 30; Oct. 7.

PERSONALS

Miss Adelaide Veale is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Veale in Vallejo, Solano county.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 4778

In the Matter of the Estate of Emily Marsh, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, BESSIE M. MacBRIDE as Executrix of the Estate of Emily Marsh, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executrix at the office of H. Ward Sheldon, Union Building, Nevada City, California, the same being her place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said Emily Marsh, Deceased.

Dated: 1947.
BESSIE M. MacBRIDE,
Executrix of the Estate of Emily Marsh, Deceased.
First publication: Sept. 23, 1947.
Sept. 23, 30; Oct. 7, 14, 21

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Veale have returned from a vacation tour through Idaho, Utah, Montana and other northwestern states.

Mrs. Ben Hall is the guest of relatives in Pacific Grove, Monterey county.

PERSONALS

NEVADA CITY: Mrs. William Green has returned from a visit with relatives in San Francisco.

Mrs. Harry Robinson of Lovelock, Nevada, is visiting her sister, M... Savory Ford of East Broad Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jones and family of San Francisco are guests of h... grandmother, Mrs. Rose Jones ... Spring street.

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Why Has the Picture Changed?

Here's what the GRASS VALLEY UNION had to say about Assemblyman ALLEN G. "Scoop" THURMAN in his reelection campaign to the Assembly.

"RE-ELECTION MERITED"

"The whole people of Nevada County will best serve their public and individual interests by returning a solid vote for the renomination and re-election of Assemblyman Allen Thurman. Few individuals elected to that important office from this district in recent years have shown a greater aptitude for the intricate duties involved, or more independence and fearlessness in making his own investigations and voting his honest convictions. To an unusual extent for a first termer, he has been accorded recognition and leadership in the numerically large California Assembly.

"On the personal side, Allen Thurman appeals strongly to the local citizenship, of all ages and vocations. The present notable advance in spreading athletics to all youths is largely of his prompting over a period of years. Although by chance living in another county, Assemblyman Thurman's civic interests in Nevada County are by no means simulated for the campaign — the growth and flower thereof has been two decades in the going."

WHY NOT TELL THE CITIZENS OF NEVADA COUNTY WHY YOU CHANGED YOUR MIND?

IPSEN-LUCAS—In Nevada City, Nevada county, October 4, 1947, Lewis Del Ipsen, 21, and Jessie Jeannette Lucas, 18, both of Dixon, Solano county.

KILROY-SCHOLFIELD—In Nevada City, Nevada county, October 3, 1947, William W. Kilroy, 25, and Beverly Jean Scholfield, 18, both of Nevada City.

DIVORCE

COWAN—In Nevada City, Nevada county, October 3, 1947, Isabelle Cowman vs. Ralph Cowan and Ella Cross; complaint filed; adultery.

BIRTHS

ADAMS — In Grass Valley, Nevada county, October 1, 1947, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth, a son.

POCAHONTAS' PLAN A DISTRICT MEETING

GRASS VALLEY: Ceanotha Council No. 9, Degree of Pocahontas, met October 3rd to consider a plan for a district meeting which will be held in November.

It was reported that Olive Harrington of Roseville, Placer county, a past great Pocahontas and zone chief for the district, hopes to bring an outside degree team to exemplify the adoption degree in Grass Valley. Several other councils are expected to take part in the district meeting, committees for whcih will soon be appointed.

RESILIENT DEER

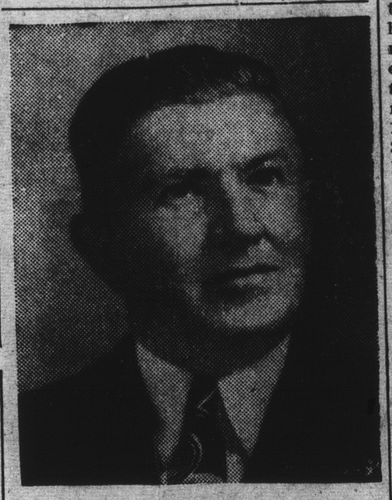
GRASS VALLEY: Bud Ducotey and John Wearne, hunting on Wolf Mountain yesterday, saw a forked horn running. Ducotey shot it. It went down in a heap.

Wearne ran to stick its throat and the buck jumped to its feet and made off minus its left horn. Ducotey let go with another salvo, but the buck bounced rapidly out of sight.

LOCAL LAD AT CALTECH

PASADENA: John William Morrison, 352 Alexander Street, Nevada City, has registered as a freshman at California Institute of Technology here.

RECORD BREAKER . . . Maj. Howard (Deacon) Hively, AAF pilot of Norman, Okla., made a record-breaking round trip in a P-80 Shooting Star jet plane from Mitchell Field, L. I., to Washington, D. C., and back.



LEGION COMMANDER . . . James F. O'Neill, 49, Manchester, N. H., chief of police, is the new national commander of the American Legion, elected at the Legion convention in New York to succeed Paul Griffith. He is a veteran of both wars.

NATIVE SONS MEET

GRASS VALLEY: Members of Fred H. Greeley Assembly, Past Presidential Association, Native Sons of the Golden Wset, met with Quartz Parlor last evening here.

Members of the association attended from Oroville, Sutter, Colusa and Roseville. Neil Whiting and Donald Robert Paine were in charge of refreshments. There was an entertainment program.

LEGAL NOTICE

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACTS OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912, AND MARCH 3, 1933.

Of Nevada City-Grass Valley Nugget published twice weekly at Nevada City, California for October 1, 1947.

State of California, county of Nevada, ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Harley M. Leete, Jr., who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the owner and publisher of the Nevada City-Grass Valley Nugget and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, as amended by the Act of March 3, 1933, embodied in section 537, Postal Laws and Regulations.

That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are: Harley M. Leete, Jr., 305 Broad St., Nevada City.

That the owner is: Harley M. Leete, Jr., 305 Broad St., Nevada City.

That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding one per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: Harley M. Leete, Sr., 215 Prospect St., Nevada City.

That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the twelve months preceding the date shown above is 703.

Harley M. Leete, Jr.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of October, 1947.

Ruth Hutchison.

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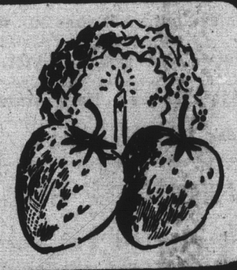

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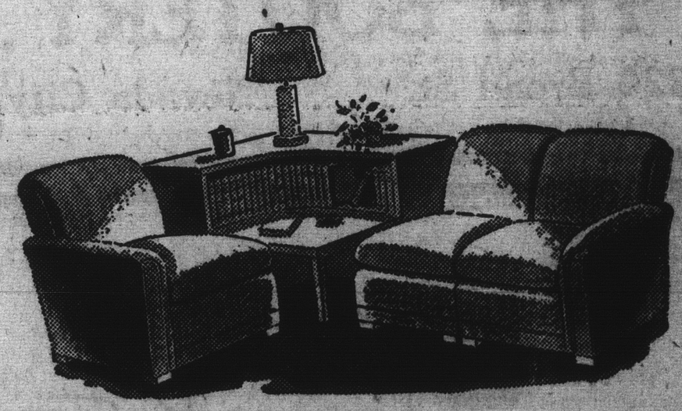

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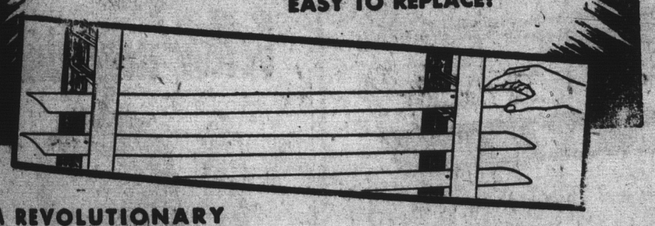

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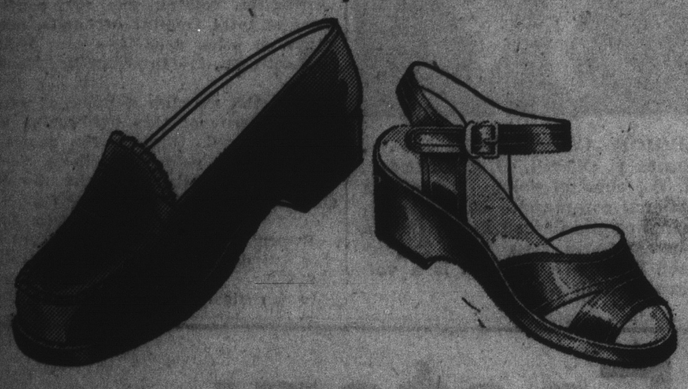

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October 5, 1947

Mr. Harley Leete, Jr., Editor
Nevada City-Grass Valley Nugget
Dear Mr. Leete:

In my letter to you of September 30, printed in your issue of October 3, I stated that the men who were working the Washoe deposits for gold at the time Jonny Stone and W. P. Morrison brought samples to Nevada City, and gave them to J. J. Ott for assay, had no intimation that the "blue-black stuff" which they were throwing away was one of the richest compounds of silver-argentite.

In this connection the following quotation from "The Big Bonanza" is of interest.

"The fact is, that silver was so little in the minds of the early miners, and they knew so little about any ore of silver, that when they at last found it, they did not know what it was and cursed it as some kind of heavy, worthless sand of iron, or some other base metal, that covered up the quicksilver in the bottom of their rockers and interfered with the amalgamation and saving of the gold they were washing out.

"They damned this stuff from the rising of the sun 'till the going down thereof, and worked in it for a considerable length of time before anybody knew what it was. Until after an assay of the "blasted blue stuff" had been made the miners were all working in blissful ignorance of silver existing anywhere in the country."

DeQuille, author of "The Big Bonanza," goes on to say that, "About the first of July, 1859," a rancher, living in the Truckee Meadows, brought a piece of Washoe ore to Judge James Walsh at Grass Valley, who took it to Melville Atwood for assay. The ore, DeQuille says, "yielded at the rate of several thousand dollars per ton, in gold and silver."

I find that, at that time, Melville Atwood was employed as assayer at the Gold Hill mine at Grass Valley, and I have no doubt that Judge Walsh, Joe Woodworth and other men of Grass Valley were prompted to join the Washoe rush by knowledge of the results of Atwood's determination of the value of this ore.

This, however, does not contravert my conclusion, as stated in my letter of September 30, that the inspiration of the great Washoe rush was the publication in the Nevada Journal of July 1, 1859, of the fabulous ore brought to Nevada City from the Washoe country by Stone and Morrison on June 24, 1859.

It is, in any event, incontestable that this momentous boom originated in Nevada county and, as many residents of this county participated therein, it would seem probable that some of your readers may have in their possession authentic information of experiences of their forebears in this rush.

The publication, in the Nugget, of any such authentic information would be a valuable contribution to the historical records of this town and county.

Sincerely,
H. P. DAVIS.

(Ed. Note: If any Nugget readers have any documents of the origin of the Washoe rush, they are invited to contact the Nugget or H. P. Davis.)

MRS. WILLIAM PEARD HONORED AT THURS. CLUB

GOLD FLAT: The Gold Flat Thursday Club, which was organized over 35 years ago, met at the home of Mrs. Joseph Day yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Clarence Walker and Mrs. Day as hostesses. The occasion was in honor of one of its oldest members, who had celebrated her golden wedding anniversary earlier in the week. Many club members attended Mr. and Mrs. William Peard's open house. The business session was called to order by the new officers: Marille Day, president; Vera Walker, vice-president; Leon Noyes, secretary. Under new business the honored member, Ida Peard, was presented with a bouquet of flowers of golden colors and a beautiful all-wool blanket. The recipient was overwhelmed and thanked all club members. Refreshments were served at a prettily laid table, golden colors, candles and bells, were placed around a decorated 50th anniversary cake!

Those present were Mesdames Mary Ogden, Harriett Farmer, Elizabeth Boreham, Florence Clemo, Marcelle Deschewanden, Frances Hawke, Lyda Randall, Francis Thomas, Jennie Watters, Margaret Watters, Hattie Whitney, Leone Noyes, Laura Granholm Elsie Norton, Marille Hopkins, Ida Peard and her daughter, Mildred Barry, and the hostesses, Vera Walker and Marille Day. Those unable to attend were Mary Clendenen, Gladys Rockfeller, Jennie DeSchene and Maude Clemo.

TOMMY JOHN BROWN ENLISTS IN THE NEW REGULAR ARMY

GRASS VALLEY: M/Sgt. Allen E. Butler of the local army recruiting station in the city library, Mill street, announced today the enlistment of Tommy J. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Brown, star route, Nevada City, Calif.

Tommy J. Brown is a former member of the Nevada City high school, where he was prominent as a member of the football team, and track star.

The new army enlistee enlisted for three years in the army engineer corps, Pacific theater. He will take his basic training at Ford Ord, California.

Sgt. Butler also pointed out that the American defense medal and World War II victory medal is being issued by his office to all former members of the army including WAC's and nurses. The honorable discharge must be presented by the individual when receiving the medals, or by the next of kin.

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